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PROCEDURES FOR COURT APPEARANCES

HON. RICHARD M. NEITER

COURTROOM 1652

Judge Neiter has adopted the following procedures for attorneys and parties appearing before him:

1. Judge Neiter posts his tentative rulings the day prior to the scheduled hearing on most matters. All parties appearing on a matter are required to review the Court's tentative rulings in preparation for their hearing.
2. Tentative rulings are usually NOT given for adversary status conferences, pretrial conferences, and chapter 11 (or 7) status conferences. However, parties must be prepared to discuss the status of each case or adversary proceeding and their plan for moving the case or adversary proceeding forward. Appearances are necessary unless expressly waived by the Court.
3. No appearance is required for unopposed motions that are granted by the Court. If an opponent appears at the hearing, the Court will either continue the matter to allow the Movant to respond to any opposition or disregard any late oppositions.